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Subject:

Serial No.	10/688,047	10/17/03
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"END OF RANGE (EOR) SECONDARY DEFECT ENGINEERING USING CHEMICAL VAPOR DEPOSITION (CVD) SUBSTITUTIONAL CARBON DOPING"		
Grp. Art Unit: 2822	MARIA F. GUERRERO	

## RESPONSE PATENT OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated January 26, 2006, please amend the above-identified application for patent as follows:

## CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

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Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the Claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.